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SUBJ: US STATEMENT AT THE UNDP/UNCDF PLEDGING CONFERENCE
FOR 1976

QUOTED BELOW IS THE U.S. STATEMENT AT SUBJECT CONFERENCE
DELIVERED ON 5 NOVEMBER BY THE U.S. REPRESENTATIVE ON THE
ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL, JACOB M. MYERSON.

QUOTE:

U.S. DELEGATION STATEMENT TO THE 1975 PLEDGING CONFERENCE
OF UNDP - NOVEMBER 5, 1975

MR. PRESIDENT,

ON THIS OCCASION I WOULD LIKE TO RECALL THE LONG-
STANDING SUPPORT OF MY GOVERNMENT FOR THE UNITED NATIONS
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DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME AS THE MAJOR UN INSTRUMENT IN THE

VITAL AREA OF TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE. THE WIDE RANGING PROGRAM AND ADMINISTRATIVE INNOVATIONS RECENTLY INTRODUCED, NEW DIMENSIONS, DECENTRALIZATION, TRIPARTITE EVALUATION, CAN--IF JUDICIOUSLY EXECUTED""RESULT IN A MORE VIGOROUS AND RESPONSIVE PROGRAM LOOKING TOWARD THE SECOND DEVELOPMENT CYCLE. THE EFFORTS THE DISTINGUISHED ADMINISTRATOR, MR. PETERSON, HAS BEEN MAKING TO FORMULATE UPDATED AND MORE COMPREHENSIVE PROGRAM GUIDELINES AS WELL AS PROCEDURES FOR REIMBURSABLE UNDP ASSISTANCE WILL ALSO MAKE FOR A SOUNDER PROGRAM IN THE FUTURE. THE LATTER WILL FACILITATE A SHIFT TOWARD AN ARRANGEMENT WHEREBY THE MORE WEALTHY RECIPIENT COUNTRIES CAN AND SHOULD COVER THE COST OF THEIR TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE.

MR. PRESIDENT, MY GOVERNMENT IS UNABLE TO MAKE A SPECIFIC PLEDGE AT THE PRESENT MOMENT BECAUSE--AS HAS BEEN THE CASE IN MOST PREVIOUS YEARS--CONGRESSIONAL ACTION IS STILL IN PROGRESS ON U.S. VOLUNTARY CONTRIBUTIONS TO UN PROGRAMS FOR 1976. I AM PLEASED TO INFORM YOU, HOWEVER, THAT PRESIDENT FORD HAS ASKED THE CONGRESS TO APPROVE A SUBSTANTIALLY INCREASED CONTRIBUTION FOR THE COMING YEAR.

MR. PRESIDENT, THE UNITED STATES ANNOUNCED AT THE SEVENTH SPECIAL SESSION ITS INTENTION TO CONTRIBUTE TO AND TO SUPPORT THE NEW UN REVOLVING FUND FOR NATURAL RESOURCES EXPLORATION. THIS WAS BORN OF THE CONVICTION THAT PROMOTION OF WORLDWIDE EXPLORATION AND EXPLOITATION OF MINERALS IS ONE OF THE MOST PROMISING ENDEAVORS OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT. HE HOPE THAT OTHERS IN A POSITION TO DO SO WILL ALSO PLAN TO JOIN IN THE EFFORT TO ENSURE THAT THE REVOLVING FUND WILL HAVE AN ADEQUATE FINANCIAL BASE. UNQUOTE.
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